



# Lyme Academy

## College of Fine Arts

**Da Vinci:** Painters must study the universal laws of nature and ponder much on everyth

The rigorous curriculum offered by the Academy is based upon the premise that the language of visual expression can be taught most effectively using proven traditional methods and techniques. The course of study concentrates on the human figure and direct observation from nature. We offer a sequence of instruction that has been developed over centuries and which we believe is still the most thorough way for aspiring artists to develop the skills and knowledge that will serve them for their lifetimes, no matter what direction their own visions may take.

# Drawing



g. **Thiebaud:** Discipline is not a restriction but an aid to freedom. It prepares an artist to ch

The Academy began as a small community of artists dedicated to preserving and advancing the traditions of western art during a time when the art world was actively rejecting the past in its search for new directions. Holding to its founding mission, the Academy has grown from a little-known center for educating artists, to a fully accredited college offering a four-year BFA degree, three-year Certificate, and a variety of special programs.

# Sculpture



se his own limitations. **Giacometti:** The scholar specialized in any field will find that the

The studio faculty members are nationally known artists and dedicated instructors who believe in the College's mission and who understand the level of individual attention a developing artist requires. Just as the studio programs use historical precedents to educate the artist, the liberal arts program offers students a contemporary exposure to the traditional humanities and sciences to develop the intellectual tools that underlie the art that has endured.

# Painting



re he knows, the more he will have to learn...Art and science mean trying to understand.

The College is located in an intimate setting with state-of-the-art facilities. Along a beautiful stretch of the Connecticut shoreline, the culturally rich village of Old Lyme is only two hours away from both Boston and New York.

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# Liberal Arts



The mission of the  
**Lyme Academy College of Fine Arts**  
is to provide the best education  
in drawing, painting, and sculpture  
through study of the history,  
traditions, and principles of the  
fine arts and the liberal arts, thereby  
establishing a comprehensive  
foundation for the development  
of the artist.

Offering a BFA Degree





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